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PETITION TO REVIVE AN ABANDONED APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)

Sir:

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), Applicant hereby petitions to revive the above-referenced application, which has been unintentionally abandoned for failure to respond to the non-final Office Action dated 30 January 2002 (Paper No. 11), that date having been reset from 28 December 2001 by the Decision on Petition to Reset Period for Reply (Paper No. 13). The Office Action set a shortened statutory due date for reply to expire on 30 April 2002. A Notice of Abandonment dated 9 October 2002 (Paper No. 14) was received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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This petition is accompanied by:

- (1) The required reply or submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311, including an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111;
- (2) The fee of \$1,300.00 for the petition fee is to be deducted from Deposit Account 50-0310 to revive the unintentionally abandoned application; and
- (3) That the entire delay in filing the required reply until the filing of this petition was unintentional.

EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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